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Mrs. A. S. Cavender

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March 12th, 1907.

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INTERESTING SESSION AT SHELBYVILLE

The Second Annual State Farmer's Institute Convened February 26th, 1907
At Shelbyville

TWO HUNDRED DELEGATES PRESENT.

The second annual State Farmer's Institute convened in Shelbyville Feb. 26. About two hundred delegates representing nearly every county of the state were present. A more intelligent, prosperous looking body of men would be hard to find among the representatives of any profession in the state. Not the proverbial hayseed of the comic paper, but wide awake energetic men who are combining modern business methods with scientific agriculture and are putting Kentucky where she is and ought to be—in the front rank as an agricultural state.

The first day was taken up principally by enrollment of members, opening addresses, etc. The evening session had some interesting addresses by Joseph E. Wing and C. G. William, of Ohio.

At the second morning session there was an election held to fill two vacancies on the board of Agriculture, Forestry and Immigration in the first and third districts.

In discussing a resolution as to the manner of holding the election a lively tilt occurred between Senator Newman and Commissioner Vreeland as to who originated the bill creating the farmer's institute. Things looked pretty squably for awhile and the daily papers in describing it did not do the affair justice by any means. However, it was all settled pleasantly with honors about equally divided.

Of the eighteen counties composing the first district only five were entitled to take part in the election owing to the irregularities in the credentials of the delegates from the others. Those that voted were Union, Crittenden, Livingston, Christian and Trigg.

The delegate from Crittenden was instructed to support G. N. McGrew, of Livingston county, who was elected on the fourth ballot over Walker, of Christian, and Igleheart, of Union county.

The main feature of the afternoon session was the scoring of The Lady Mary, the champion Jersey cow of Kentucky, by Dr. Scovel, director of the experiment station. The score being ninety-six, which Mr. Scovel stated was the highest he had ever given and put her in his opinion the champion of America. There were three other cows scored. They were

all brought on the stage of the Crescent Opera House when the institute was held.

One of the most enjoyable features of the meeting was a banquet given the delegates by the Commercial Club of Shelbyville on the evening of the 27th. The tables were presided over by forty blue grass girls. Several toasts were responded to and the evening closed by the singing of My Old Kentucky Home. The delegate from Crittenden felt a little short in the matter of oratory, but made it up by doing ample justice to the delicate viands set before him.

Another pleasant feature of the gathering was the drives given the delegates over the turnpike roads through the blue grass farms of Shelby county.

The State Institutes are held under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture and have no connection, whatever, with the tobacco associations or American Society of Equity as some seem to think. However, it developed that the delegates were in sympathy with that amendment and passed a strong resolution indorsing it, which passed without a dissenting vote.

R. F. W.

Edgie Gregory Sr. Dead.

Mr. Edgie Gregory Sr. died at his home one mile from Dycusburg, Thursday, Feb. 28th, 1907. He was 67 years of age and had been ill about a week, he is survived by three sisters Mrs. J. R. Finley of this place, Mrs. Chas. Linley of Atchison Kan, Mrs. J. A. Caldwell of Atlanta Ga. His wife, who is the sister of George and Sam Yancey of Dycusburg and five children, Claud, Edgie Jr., Chorley, and Lacy. Interment took place at Dycusburg Friday afternoon at five o'clock his death came as quite a shock to his family and community.

LaRue-Hill.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. Otis LaRue, of Sheridan, and Miss Ada Hill, of Chapel Hill, left on the noon train for Princeton where they were married. They were accompanied by Miss Elva Hill and Fred Hill, sister and cousin of the bride. Mr. LaRue is the son of Mr. L. A. LaRue and is an energetic young farmer.

Miss Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hill and is an attractive young lady. She has been one of the county's best teachers.

The happy young couple returned on the 1:27 o'clock train and left immediately for the groom's father, where they were entertained at supper.

The RECORD-PRESS joins their host of friends in wishing them a long and happy life.

Speaking.

At Boaz school house Tuesday night March 12th, by J. N. Robinson in the interest of the American Society of Equity.

AGED LADY PASSES AWAY FROM EARTH

Mrs. Rebecca Farmer Died at Her Home
Friday Morning March 1, 1907 at
the Age of 87 years

LEAVES A HOST OF RELATIVES

Mrs. Rebecca Farmer aged eighty-seven years died Friday morning, March 1, 1907, at her home in the neighborhood of the Old Jim mines. A few years ago she sold the mineral right on her farm to the Henderson Syndicate, retaining only her homestead during her lifetime.

She is the mother of Henry Farmer, of Repton, Joel Farmer, of Marion, W. C. Farmer, of Cave-in-Rock, James Farmer, Miss Delia Farmer and Mrs. Doc Franks, of this county and Mrs. Jane Hamilton, Mrs. McMaster and Mrs. Martha Clark, of Tolu.

Interment Saturday at 1 o'clock at the home place.

Olle James' Victory.

We congratulate Congressman Olle James on his victory for a three-cent street railway fare in the District of Columbia. The Republicans House of Representatives stood for his amendment to the terminal street car bill, which was carried by a vote of 159 to 83. As the Republican majority in the House is 112, the James measure received a heavy Republican support. That able and resourceful Republican, Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa, took strong ground in favor of the James amendment.

We believe in justice to all railroads and other corporations, but a three-cent rate in a city like Washington is ample for all ends. It pays all investments, provides for dividends, reserve funds and improvements. The Federal government should do all in its power to make Washington a desirable place to live in. The national metropolis is a place of magnificent distances. The street car comes into the daily needs of nearly all its inhabitants. The fare should be placed within reach of all. Visitors in thousands flock from all directions to Washington. No man can visit the National capital without coming away a better American. Desirable is it, therefore, that the city of Washington should be made an inviting place for visitors. The three-cent car fare will help to that end.

But the James amendment will have a far-reaching effect on the country at large. It will show street railway corporations that the more they seek to serve the public, the closer they get to the public heart,

the surer they win the popular approval, the better for their material interests. It will suggest to the public that fair dealing with corporations is the best policy. The American people are unalterably opposed to confiscation, and in most cities the feeling against public ownership is very pronounced. If the people desire good service from their corporations they should use the latter justly, if firmly.—Louisville Daily Herald.

A Splendid Official.

Sheriff J. F. Flanary has filed his settlement of collections of state, county and railroad taxes, amounting in all to \$30,269.91. Of this the state tax amounted to \$14,828.70. The county tax to \$12,968.37. The railroad tax to \$2,472.84.

This settlement breaks all records that we have heard of by its promptness, and was done without borrowing a cent of money, we are informed.

Della is a courteous and kind-hearted man, but firm and unflinching in his official capacity, which is the best for everyone he deals with, as well as himself and his bondsmen. What we all need is someone to make us do our best.

A Service Pension Bill.

A service pension bill has been passed by Congress, under which every honorable discharged veteran of the Civil War who served as much as three months is entitled to receive a pension of \$12 a month at the age of 70, and of \$20 a month at the age of 75. A provision giving a survivors of the Mexican War a pension of \$20 a month was incorporated in the bill. The commissioners of pensions estimate, that the bill will retail an additional expenditure of about \$15,000,000 for the first year.

CHURCH NOTES

The meeting at the Baptist church closed Sunday night. Rev. W. D. Powell left Saturday. There were twenty-five additions to the church and a number of professions. There were splendid congregations at every service and every one seemed to enjoy the sermons preached by Dr. Powell.

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Rev. J. W. Flynn will preach at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening. His subject in the morning will be "Why Christ Came" and in the evening, "The Family of God." Everybody invited.

Brick Yard Deal.

Edward Jones and Oliver Hurley, his son-in-law, both of Sturgis, have purchased the brick yard property of Hurley & Taylor for a consideration of \$1200. They will operate it on a large scale the coming season and will probably increase the output.

JAMES FOR LEADER

Our Congressman Named for Minority
Leader of House.—Due to His Success On The Three Cent Fare Bill

Washington, March 4.—Hon. Olle James was strongly tipped today as a possible candidate for the Democratic leader of the house in the sixtieth congress.

James admitted that several representatives had broached the subject to him on his success in getting the three-cent fare bill thru the house Saturday night has started the boom for him.

Deeds Recorded.

Taylor & Hurley to Eddie Jones 6 acres near Marion \$1200.

Simon Wilson to Taylor & Hurley 93 acres exchange land.

Obadiah Hunt to Wyatt Hunt 37 1/2 acres on Piney \$350.

O. H. Paris and wife to J. N. Boston 1/2 interest in mill on lot \$3000.

Geo. H. Foster to W. D. Walingford 1/2 interest in stable and lot \$1400.

F. E. Groves to Linville Holloman 23 acres near Dycusburg \$150. E. A. Summerville and husband to Ida M. Roberts 3 acres near Mattoon \$200.

For Rent for 1907.

Eighty-seven acres good land on Hurricane Island.

MRS. M. E. CROFT.

Mrs. Emily Fritts Dead.

Mrs. Emily Fritts died February 14 1907. She had pneumonia and had been ill only a few days, and the family did not realize that she was so sick until she had passed away.

She was born Dec. 30 1844 in this county, and was married Nov. 22 1871. She professed faith in Christ, when a young lady and joined the Methodist church at Siloam and ever since has lived a devoted Christian life. She is survived by two sons James and Ezra.

She was buried at new cemetery and the funeral was conducted by Rev. Elgin.

Gone to Porto Rico.

E. D. Gray has resigned his position as cashier of the bank at Olive Hill, Ky., and has gone to Mobile, Ala., from whence he will sail for Porto Rico as soon as all the details of incorporation are completed of a lumber company, of which he is to be the manager. The company will export lumber to Porto Rico from southern mills and will probably maintain an office in Mobile.

Marriage Licenses.

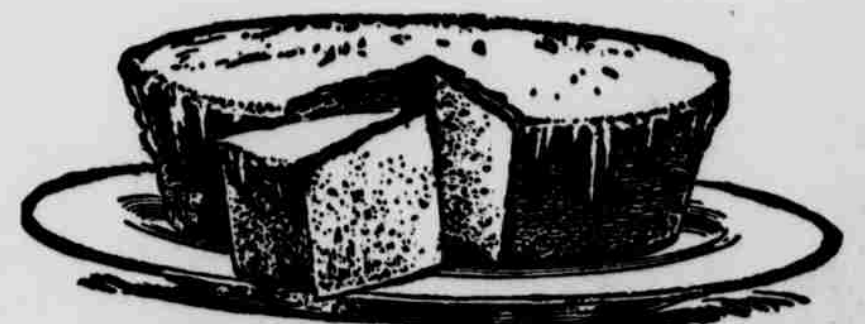
E. E. Phillips to Iva L. Phillips. C. W. Asbridge to Carrie Rayborn.

Odus E. LaRue to Ada Hill. John M. Terry to Miss Clara Woodall.

Lewis F. James to Mrs. Nancie Hunt.

C. W. Lamb to Addie Nunn.

John W. Cochran to Eva Farris.



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